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Dear John,

As I wrote you as soon as I got your database printout I do not have time to go over it now so I am not familiar with it. From what you said about it I have the impression it is a valuable research tool.

I think there is a high probability of reaching an invalid conclusion from what you suggest 8/6 because very often the shortened period between notification and deposition had little if any relationship with the witness or the subject matter. The counsel had their own problems and often shifts were necessitated. I do not recall anything that justifies believing it was from some kind of hankypanky.

I therefore do not believe that for the stated purpose that much extra work is ~~with~~ worth the time.

For different reason, the key persons file might be. For the content of some of it. And for what is not ~~there~~ there and should be.

As best I recall the few records I saw relating to the less than three day notice I recall nothing that looked wrong.

But after all these years my recollection may not be dependable.

I also think there were more staff memos in those unnumbered files and they can be valuable. Some of which I got copies years ago I've just used.

The cost is something I can't guess but that may be a factor. My hunch is that the KP file will ^{have} ~~enrich~~ the copies of the CDs.

Lil joins me in wishing all goes well with you

